



The Church of Scotland

Church Buildings COVID-19 Integrated Risk Assessment (V3)

It is the responsibility of every Kirk Session to ensure that there are suitable and sufficient arrangements in place to comply with health and safety legislation. Full guidance on the roles and responsibilities of Kirk Sessions towards health and safety can be found in the [Health and Safety Toolkit](#).

As the state of the pandemic alters, so does the process for Risk Assessing. Congregations will now move from a Covid-19 specific risk management approach to an integrated risk management approach. This means that Kirk Sessions must consider the risks of Covid-19 within their church buildings as part of their wider risk management and governance arrangements. Kirk Sessions should consider the online guidance, *Moving forward as a congregation*, on the Church of Scotland website. Care should be taken to select those areas most relevant to your buildings to ensure that health and safety risks are managed effectively.

Congregation	
Presbytery	
Which building(s) does this risk assessment relate to?	
Name of assessor(s)	
Date	
Date of review	

Hazard	Who might be harmed and how?	What Control measures already in place?	What further action do you need to take to control the risk?	Who is responsible for taking action?	When is the action needed by	Done
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